

Chambers of Senior Judge Peter C. Dorsey *continued*

Government: Public Defender Panel, United States District Court; Legislative Council, Town of Hamden (1960-1972); United States Attorney, District of Connecticut, Department of Justice (1974-1977); Town Attorney, Town of Hamden; Police Commission, Town of Hamden (1977-1981); Judicial Conference, US Courts (1995-1998)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1959-1973); Private Practice (1977-1983)

Military Service: United States Navy (1953-1956); United States Naval Reserve (1956-1965)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; American College of Trial Lawyers; American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Connecticut Bar Association; Connecticut Catholic Lawyers Guild; Connecticut Defense Lawyers Association; Connecticut Trial Lawyers Association; New Haven County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **John Arden** (203) 773-2427
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Law Clerk **Eric Contre** (203) 773-2427
Education: Quinnipiac 2003 JD

Chambers of Senior Judge Warren W. Eginton

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Warren W. Eginton
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1924
Education: Princeton 1948 BA; Yale 1951 JD
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Editor-in-Chief, Product Liability Law Journal, Butterworth Legal Publishers (1988-1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Davis, Polk & Wardwell (1951-1953); Associate then Partner, Cummings & Lockwood, Stamford (1954-1979)

Military Service: United States Army (1943-1946); United States Army Reserve (1946-1972)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, Fellow; American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Connecticut Bar Association; Connecticut Bar Foundation, Fellow; Federal Bar Association; Federal Bar Council; Institute of Judicial Administration; Regional Bar Association of Stamford

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Talbot A. Welles** (203) 579-5817
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Law Clerk **Nancy Kase O'Brasky** (203) 579-5818
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Chambers of Senior Judge Alan H. Nevas

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Alan H. Nevas
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1928
Education: Syracuse 1949 AB; NYU 1951 LLB
Began Service: October 17, 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Member, Board of Finance, Town of Westport (1962-1970); Member, Connecticut General Assembly (1971-1977); Member, State Elections Commission, State of Connecticut (1980-1981); United States Attorney, District of Connecticut, Department of Justice (1981-1985); Attorney General's Advisory Committee of United States Attorneys (1983-1984)

Judicial: Justice of the Peace (1976-1981)

Legal Practice: Partner, Nevas, Nevas & Rubin (1954-1981)

Military Service: United States Army (1952-1954)

Current Memberships: Federal Judges Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Lucia Brooks** (203) 579-5983
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Law Clerk **Pamela M. Chambers** (203) 579-5983
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Education: NYU BA; Boston Col JD

Chambers of Senior Judge Alfred Vincent Covello

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Alfred Vincent Covello
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
Education: Harvard 1954 AB; Connecticut 1960 LLB, 1960 JD
Began Service: September 2, 1992
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Assistant Corporation Counsel (1964-1967); Member, Charter Revision Commission (1964); Counsel, Charter Revision Commission (1966-1970)

Judicial: Justice of the Peace (1973-1974); Judge, Connecticut Circuit Court (1974-1975); Judge, Connecticut Court of Common Pleas (1975-1978); Judge, Connecticut Superior Court (1978-1992); Justice, Connecticut Supreme Court (1987-1992); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut (1998-2003)

Legal Practice: Partner, Bieluch, Barry & Covello (1960-1964); Partner, Gross, Hyde & Williams (1964-1974)

Military Service: United States Army (1955-1959)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; Connecticut Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Hartford County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **James W. Caley** (860) 240-3218
Education: Quinnipiac 1995 JD
Law Clerk **Nuala E. Droney** (860) 240-3218
Education: Virginia 2004 JD
Judicial Assistant **Renee Alexander** (860) 240-3218

Chambers of Senior Judge Dominic J. Squatrito

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Dominic J. Squatrito
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Wesleyan U 1961 BA; Yale 1965 JD
Began Service: October 6, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Counsel, Housing Authority, Town of Manchester (1972-1979); Clerk, Legislative Committee on Executive Nominations, State of Connecticut (1974-1978); Assistant Counsel, Judiciary Committee, Connecticut State Legislature (1974); Chief Counsel, Connecticut State Senate (1976-1980)

Legal Practice: Bayer & Phelon (and successor firms) (1966-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Connecticut State Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Hartford County Bar Association; Manchester Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Sean M. Fisher** (860) 240-3873
Education: Quinnipiac 2000 JD
Law Clerk **Kristen Zaehring** (860) 240-3873
Education: Quinnipiac 2005 JD
Court Reporter **Susan Lamoureux** (860) 214-2057
Judicial Assistant **Corinne L. Pike** (860) 240-3873

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Joan G. Margolis

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Joan G. Margolis
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953
Education: Connecticut 1978 JD
Began Service: February 4, 1985
Term Expires: February 3, 2009

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Ellen B. Burns, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut

Legal Practice: Wiggins & Dana

Staff

Law Clerk **Monica Watson** (203) 773-2350
Education: Fordham 1998 BS;
George Washington 2002 JD
Judicial Assistant **Mary Hill** (203) 773-2350
Education: Dalhousie 1971 BEd;
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Thomas P. Smith
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 1979

Staff

Law Clerk **Jeffrey Fritz** (860) 240-3640
Law Clerk **John Presper** (860) 240-3640

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Holly B. Fitzsimmons

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Holly B. Fitzsimmons
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Smith 1971 AB; Virginia 1976 MA, 1976 JD
Began Service: June 4, 1993
Term Expires: 2009

Affiliation: Instructor, Yale Law School

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Connecticut, Department of Justice (1978-1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Robinson & Cole (1976-1978)

Current Memberships: Federal Magistrate Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges

Staff

Law Clerk **Alyssa Esposito** (203) 579-5640
Education: Quinnipiac 1993 JD
Law Clerk **Sarah Nolan** (203) 579-5640
Education: NYU 2003 JD
Courtroom Deputy Clerk **Diane Kolesnikoff** (203) 579-5640
Education: Connecticut 1992 BS

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Donna F. Martinez

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Donna F. Martinez
Magistrate Judge

Education: Connecticut 1973 BA, 1975 MSW, 1978 JD
Began Service: February 8, 1994
Term Expires: February 2010

Academic: Instructor, United States Department of Justice Advocacy Institute; Instructor, Law School, Yale University

Government: Assistant Corporation Counsel, City Hall, City of Hartford, Connecticut; Assistant U.S. Attorney, Office the the United States Attorney, District of Connecticut, United States Department of Justice (1980-1989); Chief, Organized Crime/Drug Enforcement Task Force, Office the the United States Attorney, District of Connecticut, United States Department of Justice (1989-1994)

Current Memberships: Connecticut Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; American Inn of Court

Staff

Law Clerk **Amy Constantine** (840) 240-3605
Education: Connecticut 1997 JD
Law Clerk **Joe Nielsen** (860) 240-3605
Education: Seton Hall 1998 JD

Chambers of Magistrate Judge William I. Garfinkel

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William I. Garfinkel
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Yale 1981 JD
Began Service: November 22, 1996
Term Expires: November 2012

Affiliation: Visiting Lecturer, Yale College, Yale University

Academic: Visiting Lecturer, Yale College, Yale University (1984-1985); Clinical Instructor, University of Bridgeport School of Law (1984-1986); Assistant Professor, University of Bridgeport School of Law (1986-1988)

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